

Pocahontas Times.

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OWNERS.
ANDREW PRICE, EDITOR

RATIOS.

In those days the mighty Grover,
Just to set the ball a rolling,
That is, the whole globe a going,
Called the Special Congress to him
Gathered all the chiefs about him,
Showed to them a Sherman \$,
With a microscope he showed it,
Told them to be up and at it,
Nor to quit till they coined some-
thing.

Then the moons grew old and faded
Still the Special Congress labored,
Still they argued till their throats
split,

Talked of ratios principally,
They were always Democratic
Democrats of different ratios,
Thus it was that 'ratios' started,
Every body talked about it,
Here the word had its beginning,
Congress coined it, all it did do

But the years sped surely onward,
The great chief was getting shaky,
Congress had not satisfied him,
What they did must be done quickly
They had naught but theoretic
Ratios, 1 to 16, 1 to 20
What report could they make to
him,

Till a silver headed leaved
(Bland was dead and with the d-1)
Said "The chief said to coin some-
thing.

Let us tell him of the ratios,
Claim we've coined a new expres-
sion."

And that is what it all amounted.
It

ACADEMY, August 26, 1893.
Editor Pocahontas Times,

Dear Sir:
I would like, through your paper,
to call the attention of the medical
profession in Pocahontas county to
the importance of organizing a
county medical society, and would
suggest Marlinton as the place, and
the first day of the October Circuit
Court as the time.

Let us hear from the other doc-
tors. Very sincerely,
JAMES A. LARUE.

GREEN BANK.

We had a fine rain Wednesday,
and it is raining to day (Monday.)
The Green Bank graded school
will commence on the 18th of Sep-
tember. The school will occupy
the basement of the church until
the academy is repaired, bids are
now being received for the carpen-
try work thereon. We hope this
school will receive a portion of the
patronage of the county.

Attorney Andrew Price, of Mar-
linton, and Mr. A. N. Hill, of Rich-
mond, Va., were in our village last
week in the interest of the Mutual
Life Insurance Co., of Milwaukee.

Messrs. E. A. Smith and H. A.
Yeager, of Marlinton, were in this
vicinity Thursday.

Dr. C. L. Austin was called to
Lewisburg by the illness of his
mother.

Diphtheria has about subsided
on Back Alleghany, with no cases
in this neighborhood. There are a
few mild cases near Traveller's Be-
pose.

Captain G. W. Siple was thrown
from a horse last Thursday, and
considerably bruised.

Messrs. R. B. Kerr, of Gillispie,
and Uriah Bird, of Marlinton, were
in town last week.

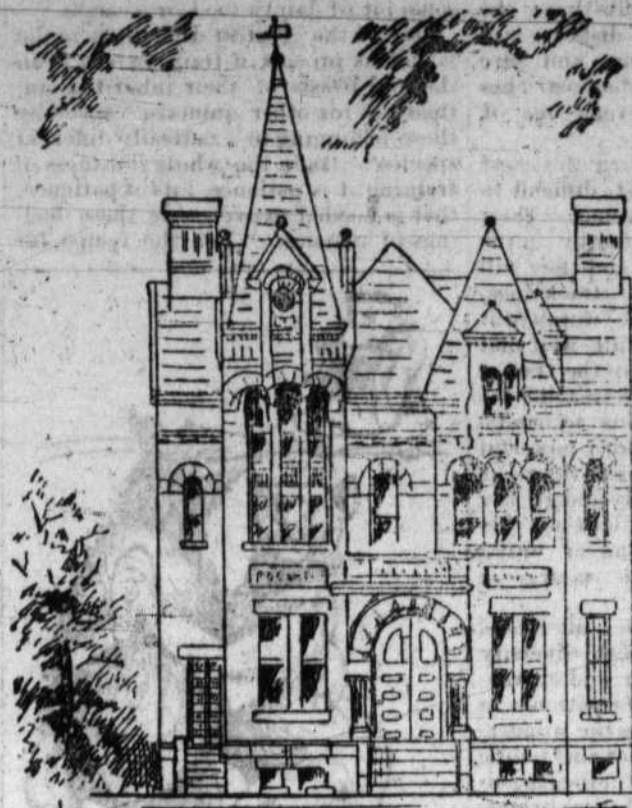
The whistle of the steam thresher
greeted our ear, and grain is turning
out well.

Mr. Harry Patterson and sister,
of Huntersville, were the guests of
Mr. J. H. Patterson Sunday night.

L. C. Bartlett the champion paint-
er, assisted by Guy Burner, are
painting Mr. S. B. Hannab's house.

Mr. C. O. Arbogast will start
with a drove of fat cattle to the eas-
tern markets Wednesday.

GOPHER.



MARLINTON COURT-HOUSE.

GEO. C. AMLUNG.

Fashionable boot and shoe mak-
er. Prices reasonable. Mending
neatly done. Call, and leave your
order. Terms, CASH.

LIFE INSURANCE.

HINTON, W. V., Aug. 4, 1893.
A. N. Hill Esq., Sp'cl Agent

Dear Sir:—
I take pleasure in testifying that
my policy in the Northwestern Mut-
ual Life Insurance Co. is in every
way satisfactory.

As your company guarantees the
return of the surplus earned, I am
convinced that I have obtained the
cheapest.

Having been an insurance agent
myself, I am conversant with all
the larger companies, and without
hesitating, I commend your compa-
ny to my friends and the public
generally as the safest and best,
and a short time spent in investiga-
tion will satisfy anyone of this fact.

Wishing you success, I am,
Respectfully yours,
JNO. C. WARWICK.
Rates at The TIMES Office.

PLASTERING

BOYD B. BARTLETT,
MARLINTON,
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Will undertake plastering in any
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Contracts by the sq. yd.

To furnish material, or other-
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We think there is nothing too costly to use
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Acme Blacking retails at 20c.
and at that price sells readily. Many
people are so accustomed to buying a dress-
ing or blacking at 5c. and 10c. a bottle
that they cannot understand that a black-
ing can be cheap at 20c. We want to meet
them with cheapness if we can, and to ac-
complish this we offer a reward of

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for a recipe which will enable us to make
WOLFF'S ACME BLACKING at such a price
that a retailer can profitably sell it at 10c.
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FOR 10 1-CENT STAMPS
(regular price 25c) your ad-
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customers; from pub-
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valuable books, papers
samples, magazines, etc.
Send all five and such prices
with one of your printed address labels
pasted thereon. EXTRA! We will
also print and prepay postage on 500 of
your label addresses to you; which
stick on your envelopes, books, etc., to
prevent their being lost. J. A. WARR
of Reidsville, N. C., writes: "From
my 25 cent address in your Lightnin'
Directory I've received my 500 address
labels and over 3000 parcels of
mail. My addresses you scattered
among publishers and manufactory
are arriving daily, on valuable parcels
of mail from all parts of the World."

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Needing a tonic, or children that want building
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It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indiges-
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The above school will be open for
the reception of pupils on the 18th
of Sep. 1893.

Complete English course. Ancient
and Modern Languages. Music
and Painting. Full corps of teach-
ers. Terms very reasonable. For
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Special accommodation for Stallions

A Limited Number of Horses
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Young horses broken to ride & work.

J. H. G. WILSON,
MARLINTON, W. VA.

S. A. GILMOR,
DEALER IN

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Merchan-
dise,**

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is prepared to sell goods at the low-
est cash prices; and, having employ-
ed H. F. Herold as clerk and sales-
man promises courteous and prompt
attention to all customers.

The general public is invited to call

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EVERYBODY REALIZES THIS.

Even the poor merchant feels the need of
some ready cash, and we will do all we can to
raise money on the goods we now have in
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I have advertised to sell goods low, and have fulfilled that offer.
NOW WE WILL OFFER \$4,000.00 WORTH OF GENERAL
MERCHANDISE AT 10 PER CENT ADVANCE OF COST.

And we ask ALL PEOPLE to come in, when in
town, and INVESTIGATE this.

WE MEAN EVERY WORD
AND WILL BACK IT UP WITH THE
ABOVE AMOUNT OF GOODS

While they last.

RESPT U. S. MCNEILL

THE H. T. SCHOOL.

The next session of the Hillsboro Training School will begin September 6, 1893
and will continue a session of forty weeks, closing first Tuesday in June, 1894.

The past session was one of unusual success. The enrollment being as large
as any previous session, and the average grade in scholarship surpassing and
previous session. Misses Bess e Edgar, Emma Kinnison, Clarice Shearer, and
Sallie Hoults deserve special notice regards scholarship. They each attained an
average of 95 and 96 out of 100; while many others reached the average grade of
90. All the little people made the required grade to be promoted another year.

The patrons of last year were; Messrs J Hoults, J Kinnison, N Kinnison, J.
Jordan, E McCarthy, H McCoy, W Shearer, Geo Callison, T Callison, C Esk-
ridge, P Clark, Geo Clark, Dr Larue, W A Eskridge, W Williams, M Dunlap, K.
O Wade, J Waugh, J Kelley, A Blake, A Smith, N Scott.

Capt. Edgar W Spence J Hannah F Kinnison
The special literary department introduced last year worked well and will be
continued next year on an improved plan.

The literary society has commenced its library and expended about \$27.00 in
books of the choicest kinds. This is small but big endings from little beginnings
grow.

The H. T. cannot give you the hot and cold baths, the asphaltum promenade,
nor the palace building that other places do; but it can give thorough work, moral,
physical, and soul culture, with a comfortable home at no great cost.

CHARGES.

Prim. Eng.	\$1.50	Adv. Eng.	\$2.00
Music per mo.	3.00	Vocal Music	3.00
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Board, including fuel and light per mo. \$10.00 Any pupil boarding in institu-
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SITUATION.

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Give me your patronage the coming session.

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its kind and our stock is warranted first-class in all re-
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tersville turnpike. Post office Address,

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